

Santos, Cayetano

From: John Szabo -*NRK*
Sent: Monday, November 05, 2007 9:17 AM
To: Frank Gillespie; Cayetano Santos
Cc: Andrew Bates; Catherine Holzle
Subject: Re: Closed Meetings

Frank,

Based on the information received and our discussions, we have no objection to closing the ACRS meeting for this presentation under exemption 9. We also believe that these documents can be withheld under FOIA.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

>>> Frank Gillespie 11/03/2007 8:25 AM >>>
John,

RES is coming to the committee with a presentation on SOARCA State of the Art Consequence Analysis for a sub committee meeting, full committee meeting and a sub sequent letter is expect by the commission. They have asked that the meeting be closed and the letter not be publically available. We have asked them for a memo for OGC for our record keeping purposes to document the proper exception. They likely do not understand the request but we have to gewt the FRN for the meeting out ect. of a certian schedule and I am afriad that does not seem to be happening. This report and review are in fact very pre decisional and the staff has what they believe clear direction not to release anything without commission involvement. Given the nature of this report this make perfect sense. Major policy issues as yet unaddressed by the commission are involved. Staff commission interactio would be stifled if this went public at this premature time. As i see it three main question exist two dealing with threshold selected to screen aspects of the calculation and results and one addressoing the level of rigor in the back up material. Can you help with the necessary memo to close the meeting. Tanny Santo is the contact since I will be out of the office until Wednseday.

Thank For your help